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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending with the Fiftyeth Saturday in 1938
(10*th December* 1938.)

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 10th December 1938								Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week		Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Upto the end of the week from 1st January 1938							
						This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
		2		3		4		5		6		7	
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		
BANGALORE	Bangalore (observatory	0	00	0	10	31	49	33	91	— 2	42		
	Hoskote ...	0	00	0	08	23	31	28	89	— 5	58		
	Dodballapur ...	0	00	0	07	25	27	29	88	— 4	61		
	Nelamangala ...	0	00	0	03	26	57	29	83	— 3	26		
	Kankanhalli ...	0	20	0	08	40	14	30	39	9	75		
	Magadi ...	0	00	0	09	37	11	32	38	4	73		
	Channapatna ...	0	00	0	09	36	64	32	53	4	11		
	Anekal ...	0	00	0	11	27	46	33	01	— 5	55		
	Devanhalli ...	0	00	0	08	26	67	29	01	— 2	34		
	Closepet ...	0	00	0	10	30	60	32	31	— 1	71		
	District average ...	0	02	0	08	30	53	31	21	— 0	68		
KOLAR	Kolar ...	0	00	0	16	18	23	27	22	— 8	99		
	Bowringpet ...	0	00	0	13	23	55	28	27	— 4	72		
	Chintamani ...	0	00	0	13	33	16	26	69	6	47		
	Mulbagal ...	0	13	0	21	20	88	2	22	— 8	34		
	Sidlaghatta ...	0	00	0	09	29	98	28	87	1	11		
	Chikballapur ...	0	00	0	09	32	66	29	95	2	71		
	Bagepalli ...	0	00	0	05	30	69	25	55	5	14		
	Goribidnur ...	0	00	0	06	32	94	27	14	5	80		
	Malur ...	0	00	0	10	24	27	29	36	— 5	09		
	Srinivaspur ...	0	00	0	16	25	57	27	64	— 2	07		
	Gudibanda ...	0	00	0	08	37	82	30	06	7	76		
	District average ...	0	01	0	11	28	16	28	18	— 0	02		
TUMKUR	Tumkur ...	0	00	0	01	27	61	31	15	— 3	54		
	Madhugiri ...	0	00	0	07	33	63	26	39	7	24		
	Chiknaikanhalli ...	0	00	0	11	24	05	26	80	— 2	75		
	Sira ...	0	00	0	04	21	67	21	99	— 0	32		
	Gubbi ...	0	00	0	03	35	86	28	07	7	79		
	Tiptur ...	0	00	0	14	17	73	23	82	— 6	09		
	Pavugada ...	0	00	0	04	31	22	21	00	10	22		
	Kunigal ...	0	00	0	04	30	68	29	60	1	08		
	Koratagere ...	0	00	0	05	23	06	25	10	— 2	04		
	Turuvekere ...	0	00	0	08	30	15	27	21	2	94		
	District eaverag ...	0	00	0	06	27	56	26	11	1	45		

	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·00
Ragi	14·00	14·00	16·00
Kulthi	11·00	11·00	13·00
Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	6·00
Ragi,	12·00	12·00	12·00
Kulthi	8·00	8·00	11·00
Kadale	8·00	8·00	7·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	5·00
Ragi	14·00	14·00	11·00
Kulthi	11·00	8·00	12·00
Kadale	8·00	7·50	5·00

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 3rd December 1938, This week		Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 10th January 1938 This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (−) of column 4 compared with column 5		Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
MYSORE												Seers	Seers	Seers
Mysore (observatory)	0	00	0	10	18	32	29	50	—10	18				
Chamarajnagar ...	0	00	0	20	21	11	26	66	— 5	55				
Seringapatam ...	0	00	0	11	21	51	26	42	— 4	91				
Hunsur ...	0	00	0	21	20	47	30	89	—10	42				
Krishnarajnagar ...	0	00	0	14	17	42	26	15	— 8	73	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	8·00
Heggaddevankote ...	0	00	0	25	31	94	37	54	— 5	60				
Gundlupet ...	0	62	0	28	16	98	25	68	— 8	70	Ragi	17·00	17·00	17·50
Nanjangud ...	0	00	0	13	18	08	28	36	—10	28				
T.-Narsipur ...	0	00	0	15	27	41	27	34	0	07	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	14·00
Malvalli ...	0	00	0	16	20	33	26	89	— 6	56				
Mandya ...	0	00	0	13	20	62	27	07	— 6	45	Kadale	9·00	9·00	8·00
Krishnarajpete ...	0	00	0	12	21	72	28	84	— 7	12				
Nagamangala ...	0	00	0	07	22	61	27	21	— 4	60				
Periyapatna ...	0	00	0	25	21	39	33	10	—11	71				
Maddur ...	0	00	0	10	23	33	27	88	— 4	55				
French-Rocks ...	0	00	0	13	19	07	26	43	— 7	36				
District average ...	0	04	0	16	21	40	28	50	— 7	10				
HASSAN														
Hassan (observatory)	0	00	0	27	18	28	34	42	—16	14				
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0	00	0	38	67	92	92	23	—24	31	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	9·50
Arkalgud ...	0	00	0	40	20	36	37	57	—17	21				
Belur ...	0	00	0	44	21	47	39	89	—18	42	Ragi	16·00	16·00	18·00
Channarayapatna ...	0	00	0	18	23	03	27	16	— 4	13				
Arsikere ...	0	00	0	22	19	79	26	13	— 6	34	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	14·00
Hole-Narsipur ...	0	00	0	21	24	23	27	47	— 3	24				
Alur ...	0	00	0	13	22	97	42	20	—19	23	Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·00
District average ...	0	00	0	28	27	25	40	88	—13	63				
SHIMOGA														
Shimoga ...	0	00	0	19	21	63	32	27	—10	64				
Channagiri ...	0	00	0	12	23	34	28	15	— 4	81				
Honnali ...	0	00	0	16	16	81	23	28	— 6	47	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·25	7·25	6·34
Shikarpur ...	0	00	0	27	31	83	35	31	— 3	48				
Scrab ...	0	00	0	24	45	73	60	95	—15	22	Ragi	16·00	16·00	15·24
Sagar ...	0	00	0	13	71	02	83	41	—12	39				
Nagar (Kallurkatte) ...	0	00	0	09	93	16	103	35	—10	19	Kulthi	11·00	11·00	9·32
Tirthahalli ...	0	00	0	18	101	26	120	70	—19	44				
Kumsi ...	0	00	0	11	33	11	40	89	— 7	78				
District average ...	0	00	0	17	48	65	58	70	—10	05				
KADUR														
Chikmagalur ...	0	00	0	30	21	33	35	47	—14	14				
Kadur ...	0	00	0	25	13	96	22	86	— 8	96	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	7·50	8·00
Tarikere ...	0	20	0	24	22	83	35	71	—12	88				
Koppa ...	0	20	0	25	104	60	116	55	—11	95	Ragi	15·00	15·00	20·00
Mudgere ...	0	00	0	30	62	50	95	30	—32	80				
Narasimharajpura ...	0	00	0	19	47	86	71	99	—24	13	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	16·00
Sringeri ...	0	00	0	28	142	45	146	13	— 3	68				
											Kadale	9·00	9·00	9·00
District average ...	0	06	0	26	59	36	74	86	—15	50				
CHITALDRUG														
Chitaldrug (observatory)	0	00	0	12	21	44	24	21	— 2	77				
Challakere ...	0	00	0	05	15	06	17	74	— 2	68	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	5·00
Hiriyur ...	0	00	0	08	15	08	21	63	— 6	55				
Holalkere ...	0	00	0	15	23	62	24	11	— 0	49	Ragi	16·00	18·00	12·00
Davangere ...	0	00	0	17	18	58	25	19	— 6	61				
Molakalmuru ...	0	00	0	04	22	15	23	39	— 1	24	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	9·00
Jagalur ...	0	00	0	08	21	48	21	71	— 0	23				
Hosdurga ...	0	00	0	13	15	59	23	11	— 7	52	Cholum	16·00	14·00	12·00
Harihar ...	0	00	0	24	13	43	20	86	— 7	43				
											Kadale	8·00	8·00	5·00
District average ...	0	00	0	22	18	49	22	44	— 3	95				
Provincial average ...	0	02	0	15	32	67	38	86	— 6	19				

NOTE—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana.
Kulthi—(Horsegram) Doliches Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgere.
Kadale—(Bengalgram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Such as paddy, sugarcane, thogari, kulthi, haraka, avare, cholam, etc., are reported to be in good condition. In Kankanhalli Taluk, dry crops such as kulthi, thogari, etc., are in need of rains.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi, paddy, groundnut, etc., are being harvested. Sugarcane is being milled.

10. Good in all taluks except in Kankanhalli Taluk where failure of rain has adversely affected the dry crops.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Vaisakhi paddy in Chintamani and Bagepalli Taluks. Potatoes in Chikballapur Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, avare, sugarcane, thogari, castor and horsegram are reported to be in good condition except in Kolar, Bowringpet, and Mulbagal, where it is reported they are in need of rains.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi in Kolar, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli, Goribidnur and Malur Taluks.

Groundnut in Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks.

Paddy in Chintamani, Chikballapur and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

10. Public health is generally good except for Plague at Nayanahalli and Potrenahalli Villages of Chikballapur Taluk.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy except for Sheep-pox in Kunnahosahalli Village, Malur Taluk.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

Fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Paddy in parts of Tumkur, Sira and Pavagada Taluks and sugarcane in Kunigal Taluk are reported to be sown.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, avare, thogari, jola and horsegram in Tumkur, Madhugiri, Chiknaiakanhalli, Gubbi, Tiptur, Kunigal and Turvekere Taluks; paddy, groundnut, akkadi and castor in Pavagada Taluk; sugarcane ragi, avare and thogari, in Koratagere Taluk; and thogari and avare in Sira Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy and groundnut in Tumkur, Pavagada Taluks; ragi in parts of Tumkur, Sira, Gubbi, Tiptur, Kunigal, Koratagere and Turvekere Taluks; navane in Gubbi and Koratagere Taluks; horsegram in Gubbi Taluk are reported to be harvested.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy except for Black-Quarter (ಜಪ್ಪೆರೋಗ) disease in Tingalur Village, Kodigenahalli Hobli, Madhugiri Taluk.

Water and fodder are reported to be available.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Harvesting is in progress in almost all the Taluks.

Standing Crops.—Such as paddy in parts of Gundlupet, Malvalli, Mandya, T.-Narsipur, Chamarajnagar, Seringapatam, and Mysore Taluks; ragi in parts of Malvalli, and Chamarajnagar Taluks; horsegram in parts of Malvalli, Heggaddevankote, Maddur, French-Rocks, Seringapatam and Periyapatna Taluks; avare in parts of Malvalli, Heggaddevankote, Maddur, Periyapatna and Mandya Taluks; thogari in parts of Heggaddevankote, Chamarajnagar and, Periyapatna Taluks; groundnut in parts of Malvalli, Maddur and Nanjangud Taluks; sugarcane in parts of Mandya and Maddur Taluks and tobacco in parts of Hunsur, Heggaddevankote and Periyapatna Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—It is is reported that ragi being harvested in parts of Gundlupet, Malvalli, Maddur, Krishnarajpet, Chamarajnagar, Nagamangala, Periyapatna, Mysore and Krishnarajnagar Taluks; paddy in parts of Maddur, Krishnarajpet, T.-Narsipur, and French-Rocks Taluks; sugarcane in parts of Maddur, French-Rocks, and Mandya Taluks; horsegram in parts of Gundlupet, Heggaddevankote, Mandya, Chamarajnagar, and Mysore Taluks; and tobacco in parts of Periyapatna Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.

Food stocks are available in sufficient quantities.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available in sufficient quantity.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

Crops Sown.—Nil.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in Arkalgud and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; sugarcane and paddy in Belur Taluk; ragi, paddy, jola, sugarcane and groundnut in parts of Channarayapatna Taluk and ragi in Arsikere Taluk are being harvested.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Such as sugarcane, avare and thogari in Arkalgud Taluk; kulthi, avare and bengalgram in Belur Taluk; paddy, ragi, jola, horsegram, groundnut and sugarcane in Channarayapatna Taluk; kulthi, chillies, tobacco, togari, avare and paddy in Hole-Narsipur Taluk; and sugarcane, kulthi and avare in Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be in fairly good condition.

Standing crops in Hassan, Manjarabad and Arsikere Taluks are also reported to be fair.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for "Gerasalu" disease prevailing in Channahalli, Kenchanahalli and Pura Villages in Alur Sub-Taluk.

It is reported that the Veterinary Department has been addressed in the matter.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Greengram and bengalgram are being sown in Shikarpur Taluk.

State of Standing Crops.—Both dry and wet crops are reported to be good in the district except in some villages of Shimoga, Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in Shimoga, Sorab, Sagar, Hosnagar, Tirthahalli Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; ragi in Shimoga, Channagiri and Sorab Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; horsegram in Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; Arecanut in Sagar, Hosnagar and Tirthahalli Taluks; jola in Channagiri and Honnali Taluks and cotton in Shimoga and Channagiri Taluks are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

11. *Condition of Cattle*:—The cattle in the district are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Rinderpest" in Kogluvadi village of Hosnagar Taluk and Gavatetevaru village of Kumsi Sub-Taluk, 'Foot and Mouth' disease in Gavatetevaru village of Kumsi Sub-Taluk. The concerned Veterinary Inspectors are reported to be taking necessary action to suppress the disease.

KADUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Bengalgram and wheat are being sown in Kadur Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, sugarcane, jola, coffee, areca, cordamom and pepper are reported to be in a fairly good condition.

The Amildar, Koppa Taluk, reports that the average yield of areca crop ranges between 8 and 6 annas. Koleroga to areca crop is reported to be prevailing in Thotaduru village, Mudgere Taluk.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy and coffee in Chikmagalur Taluk; paddy in Kadur Taluk, paddy and ragi in Tarikere Taluk; areca and paddy in Koppa Taluk; areca in Mudgere Taluk; paddy, areca and coffee in Narasimharajpura Sub-Taluk, areca and paddy in Sringeri Jahgir.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.
Standing Crops in Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks require rain badly.
Food grains are available and their prices remain steady.
Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district.

It is reported that Neradi (ನೆರಡಿ) roga in Allampura village and some other kinds of epidemic diseases in Ramanahalli village of Chikmagalur Taluk are prevailing and the Veterinary Inspector concerned has been addressed to take remedial measures in the matter.

The Amildar, Koppa Taluk, reports that Rinderpest is prevailing in Thalamakki and Nuggi villages and that the Veterinary Inspector, Koppa, is taking remedial measures to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder are available throughout the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to have been well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Transplantation of paddy in Chitaldrug and Molakalmuru Taluks are reported to be going on.

State of Standing Crops.—Standing crops are reported to be in good condition in all parts of the district except in Challakere Taluk where cotton and jola crops on dry lands are in need of rains.

Crops Harvested.—Jola, navane and groundnut in Chitaldrug Taluk; mungar jola and ragi in parts of Hiriyur Taluk, jola and ragi in Davangere Taluk; paddy, cotton, horsegram and groundnut in Molakalmuru Taluk; avere, horsegram and togari in Jagalur Taluk; jola, ragi and navane in Hosdurga Taluk and Harihar Sub-Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of Foot and Mouth disease in Sultanipura village of Turuvanur Hobli and Hireguntanur village of Hireguntanur Hobli in Chitaldrug Taluk and in Uddagatta village of Jagalur Taluk and other infectious diseases for goats in Sivanekatte village, Hosdurga Taluk. Necessary preventive and remedial measures have been adopted by the Veterinary Inspectors concerned to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder are available.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, 13th December 1938.

S. ABDUL WAJID,
Revenue Commissioner.